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DISABILITY

Massachusetts Developmental Disabilities Council Legislative Advocacy Training

Program: The grantee will provide information, training, resources, and individual and organizational skill building in an accessible (ADA cognitive and physical accommodations) and culturally competent format to people with developmental disabilities and their associated advocacy groups so they, themselves, can advocate for the supports and services they need to live independently in their community.

Funds: Estimated total funds available: \$30,000.

Deadline: June 26, 2002.

Eligible: See RFR.

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Department of Health and Human Services/ Administration for Children and Families Developmental Disabilities

Fiscal Year 2002 Projects of National Significance

Program: The purpose of the Projects of National Significance (PNS) program is not only to provide technical assistance to the Developmental Disabilities Councils, the Protection and Advocacy Systems, and the University Centers in Developmental Disabilities, but also to support projects ``that hold promise to expand or improve opportunities for people with developmental disabilities." The 2002 Priority Areas relate to the outcomes contained in ADD's plan for implementing the Government Performance Reporting Act (GPRA). In general, Projects are expected to increase community support and services, promote self-determination and productivity, and encourage interaction and collaboration among all sectors of the Developmental Disabilities field.

The following are the 2002 Priority Areas:

- ✕ Priority Area 1: Learning Through Assisting - To create opportunities for and provide support to high school students to earn service-learning credits by assisting children with developmental disabilities in inclusive environments.
- ✕ Priority Area 2: Creating and Celebrating One Community for All Citizens- To build and support local communities of diverse citizens where individuals with developmental disabilities feel welcome and able to make contributions.
- ✕ Priority Area 3: Enhancing Early Literacy and Education for Children With Developmental Disabilities- To identify, evaluate, and promote "Promising

Practices” in inclusive early literacy and educational programs for young children with developmental disabilities.

- Funds:** Priority Area 1 maximum grant size: \$100,000
Priority Area 1 anticipated number of awards: 5
Priority Area 2 maximum grant size: \$100,000
Priority Area 2 anticipated number of awards: 5
Priority Area 3 maximum grant size: \$100,000
Priority Area 3 anticipated number of awards: 5
- Deadline:** July 24, 2002.
- Eligible:** **X** Priority Area 1: Learning Through Assisting--State agencies, public or private nonprofit organizations, institutions or agencies, including a consortia of some or all of the above.
 X Priority Area 2: Creating and Celebrating One Community for All Citizens--State agencies, public or private nonprofit organizations, institutions or agencies, including a consortia of some or all of the above.
 X Priority Area 3: Enhancing Early Literacy and Education for Children With Developmental Disabilities--State agencies, public or private nonprofit organizations, institutions, or agencies, including a consortia of some or all of the above.
- Info:** April Myers, ADD, Administration for Children and Families (ACF), 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., Rm. 300F, Washington, DC, 20447, Phone: 202/690-5985, Email: AMyers@acf.hhs.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13427-filed
- FR:** 5/30 37818-37835

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety

VAWA S.T.O.P. 2002 Grant

Program: The primary purpose of the STOP Grant Program is to provide financial assistance to develop and strengthen effective law enforcement, prosecution strategies, and victims' services in cases of violent crimes against women.

Funds: Total funds available: \$2,800,000.

Deadline: June 28, 2002.

Eligible: See RFR.

Info: George Perkins , Program Manager, 1 Ashburton Place , Room 2110, Boston, MA 02108
Phone: 617-727-6300 x25357, Fax: 617-727-5356, Email: George.Perkins@eps.state.ma.us, Link: http://www.comm-pass.com/Comm-PASS/Scripts/xdoc_view.idc?doc_id=013505&dept_code=&cp_xx=

Department of Health and Human Services/Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Cooperative Agreement for Violence Against Women Planning and Implementation

Program: The purpose of the program is to:

- ✕ Develop effective and culturally competent initiatives that address Violence Against Women (VAW) issues.
- ✕ Foster effective community collaborations to respond to emerging policy and program issues.
- ✕ Provide an opportunity for state health agencies to take a leadership role in addressing violence, specifically VAW to ensure these issues are raised to a public health priority within the state.
- ✕ Facilitate the process of seeking data driven solutions to the prevention of VAW by identifying key data elements that provide compelling evidence of the impact of VAW on families and communities and gaps in data collection that can be addressed by traditional and non-traditional sources.
- ✕ Develop a more comprehensive approach to preventing VAW through community collaboration and coalition building. The planning and implementation projects from this funding should address the intersection of risks for violence that cross the different types of violence (for example, child maltreatment as a risk for sexual violence and intimate partner violence, and identifying community approaches to support protective seeking behaviors that prevent subsequent violence). 6. Identify issues and implementation strategies that address specific challenges and barriers to VAW prevention efforts for priority populations such as racial and ethnic populations, gay and lesbian, elderly, rural or other "hard to reach" populations and women with disabilities. For the purposes of this funding, VAW includes intimate partner violence, sexual violence by any perpetrator, and other forms of VAW committed by acquaintances or strangers.

This program consists of two parts:

- ✕ Part 1: Planning--To assist recipients to: (1) Conduct an assessment of the state/territory/tribe's current VAW prevention and intervention efforts, and (2) develop a statewide action plan that addresses their intent and documents strategies to garner support for sustaining and enhancing these activities and efforts that address VAW issues.
- ✕ Part 2: Implementation--To assist recipients, who have developed an action plan that addresses VAW (under CDC Program Announcements 99136 and 00119), to implement priority activities from their action agenda/ plan.

Funds: Part I
Total funds available: \$1.5 million.
Average award amount: \$50,000.
Number of awards: 29.
Part 2
Total funds available: \$500,000.
Average award: \$50,000.
Number of awards: 10.

Deadline: July 12, 2002.

Eligible: Eligible Applicants Part 1: State health departments or their bona fide agents that have not

received funds to support VAW planning activities under the CDC Program Announcements 99136 and 00119.

Part 2: State health departments or their bona fide agents that have received supplemental funds to support VAW planning activities under CDC Program Announcements 99136 and 00119.

Info: Angie Nation, Grants Management Branch, Procurement and Grants Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2920 Brandywine Road, Suite 3000, Atlanta, GA 30341-4146, Phone: (770) 488-2719, E-mail: aen4@cdc.gov.
Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13637-filed

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EDUCATION

Department of Education/Office of Educational Research and Improvement Fund for the Improvement of Education (FIE) Program Partnerships in Character Education

Program: The purpose of this program is to provide grants to eligible entities to assist them in designing and implementing character education programs that teach students any of the following elements of character: caring, civic virtue and citizenship, justice and fairness, respect, responsibility, trustworthiness, giving, or any other elements deemed appropriate by the eligible entity, having taken into consideration the views of parents and students. The character education programs supported must be programs that can be integrated into classroom instruction, are consistent with State academic content standards, and can be carried out in conjunction with other educational reform efforts.

Funds: Available funds: \$16,000,000.
Range of awards: \$100,000—\$500,000 per year.
Number of awards: 40 to 45.

Deadline: July 11, 2002.

Eligible:

- ✕ A State educational agency (SEA) in partnership with one or more local educational agencies (LEAs); or
- ✕ An SEA in partnership with one or more (LEAs) and nonprofit organizations or entities, including an institution of higher education.
- ✕ An LEA or consortium of LEAs; or
- ✕ An LEA or LEAs in partnership with one or more nonprofit organizations or entities, including an institution of higher education.

Info: Beverly A. Farrar, U.S. Department of Education, 555 New Jersey Avenue, NW., room 502J, Washington, DC 20208-5645, Fax: (202) 219-2053,
Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-12693-filed

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Premier Programming Solutions

Breaking Down Barriers to Assistive Technology Grant

Program: Premier Programming Solutions, a provider of assistive software that gives disabled individuals better access to modern technology, has launched a software grant program aimed at helping primary and secondary schools meet the accessibility needs of students with learning and/or visual disabilities.

Funds: Inkind donations. See website for details.

Deadline: May 13, 2002 - June 10, 2002. (Applications must be made on-line.)

Eligible: Schools.

Info: Steve Timmer, Premier Programming Solutions, 12800 Escanaba Dr., DeWitt, MI 48820, Phone: 517-668-8188, Fax: 517-668-2417, Email: info@premier-programming.com
Link: <http://www.premier-programming.com/>

Department of Education

Parental Information and Resource Centers Program

Program: The purpose of this program is to support school-based and school-linked parental information and resource centers (PIRCs) that achieve the following goals:

- ✕ To implement effective parental involvement policies, programs, and activities that will improve children's academic achievement;
- ✕ To develop and strengthen partnerships among parents (including parents of children from birth through age five), teachers, principals, administrators, and other school personnel in meeting the educational needs of children;
- ✕ To develop and strengthen the relationship between parents and their child's school;
- ✕ To further the developmental progress of children assisted under the program;
- ✕ To coordinate activities funded under the program with parental involvement initiatives funded under section 1118 and other provisions of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA); and
- ✕ To provide a comprehensive approach to improving student learning, through coordination and integration of Federal, State, and local services and programs.

Funds: Total available funds: \$20 million.

Average size of awards: \$570,000.

Number of awards: 35.

Deadline: June 27, 2002.

Eligible: Non-profit organizations, or consortia of non-profit organizations and local educational agencies (LEAs).

Info: Daisy Greenfield, Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 3E307, FOB-6, Washington, DC 20202-6400, Phone: (202) 401-0039, Email: daisy.greenfield@ed.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13370-filed

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Department of Education

Early Childhood Educator Professional Development Program

- Program:** The purpose of the Early Childhood Educator Professional Development Program is to enhance the school readiness of young children, particularly disadvantaged young children, and to prevent them from encountering difficulties once they enter school. The program is designed to improve the knowledge and skills of early childhood educators who work in communities that have high concentrations of children living in poverty.
- Funds:** Total available funds: \$15,000,00.
Average size of awards: \$1,000,000 per year (based on 15 awards).
Estimated number of awards: 10-25.
- Deadline:** July 5, 2002.
- Eligible:** A partnership consisting of—
- ✕ One or more institutions of higher education, or other public or private entities (including faith-based organizations), that provide professional development for early childhood educators who work with children from low-income families in high-need communities; and
 - ✕ One or more public agencies (including local educational agencies, State educational agencies, State human services agencies, and State and local agencies administering programs under the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990), Head Start agencies, or private organizations (including faith-based organization); and
 - ✕ If feasible, an entity with demonstrated experience in providing training to educators in early childhood education programs concerning identifying and preventing behavior problems or working with children identified as or suspected to be victims of abuse. This entity may be one of the partners described above, if appropriate.
- Info:** Education Publications Center (ED Pubs), P.O. Box 1398, Jessup, MD 20794-1398, Phone (toll free): 1-877-433-7827, Fax: (301) 470-1244, Link:
http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13403-filed
- FR:** 5/29 37406-37408

Department of Education/Office of Elementary and Secondary Education

Improving Literacy Through School Libraries Program

- Program:** The purpose of this program is to improve student literacy skills and academic achievement by providing students with increased access to up-to-date school library materials; a well-equipped, technologically advanced school library media center; and well-trained, professionally certified school library media specialists.
- Funds:** Total available funds: \$12,125,000.
Range of awards: \$20,000 to \$250,000.
Number of awards: 75.
- Deadline:** Letters of intent: June 28, 2002.
Full proposals: July 24, 2002.
- Eligible:** Local educational agencies (LEAs) in which at least 20 percent of the students served by

the LEA are from families with incomes below the poverty line.

Info: Margaret McNeely or Beth Fine, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., room 5C130, FOB-6, Washington, DC 20202-6200, Phone: (202) 260-1335 (Margaret McNeely) or (202) 260-1091 (Beth Fine), Email: literacyandschoollibraries@ed.gov. Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13313-filed

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**Department of Education /Office of Elementary and Secondary Education
Advanced Placement (AP) Test Fee Program**

Program: The AP Test Fee program provides grants to States to enable them to pay advanced placement test fees on behalf of eligible low-income students who (1) are enrolled in an advanced placement course; and (2) plan to take an advanced placement exam. The program is designed to increase the number of low-income students who take advanced placement tests and receive scores for which college academic credit is awarded. Further, the program seeks to increase the number of low-income students who achieve a baccalaureate or advanced degree. Therefore, through participation in this program, low-income students will have greater opportunities to achieve to higher standards in English, mathematics, science, and other core subjects.

Funds: Total funds available: up to \$1,000,000.
Average size of awards: \$225,000 per year.
Anticipated number of awards: 5-20.

Deadline: July 8, 2002.

Eligible: State educational agencies (SEAs).

Info: Madeline E. Baggett, U.S. Department of Education, School Improvement Programs, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 3E228, Washington, DC 20202-6140, Phone: (202) 260-2669, Email: Madeline.Baggett@ed.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13024-filed

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**Department of Education/Office of Elementary and Secondary Education
Advanced Placement Incentive (API) Program**

Program: Competitive grants designed to increase the successful participation of low-income students in pre-advanced placement and advanced placement courses and tests. Through increased access to and participation in pre-advanced placement and advanced placement courses and tests, the program provides greater opportunities for low-income students to achieve to high standards in English, mathematics, science, and other core subjects. Additional long-term goals of the program are to demonstrate that larger and more diverse groups of students can participate and succeed in advanced placement programs and to increase the numbers of low-income and other disadvantaged students who receive baccalaureate and advanced degrees.

Funds: Total funds available: \$2,000,000.
Average size of awards: \$350,000 per year.

Anticipated number of awards: 5-15.

Deadline: July 8, 2002.

Eligible: a) State educational agencies (SEAs); (b) local educational agencies (LEAs); or (c) national nonprofit educational entities with expertise in advanced placement services.

Info: Madeline E. Baggett, U.S. Department of Education, School Improvement Programs, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 3C153, Washington, DC 20202-6140, Phone: (202) 260-2669, Email: Madeline.Baggett@ed.gov. Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13023-filed

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Department of Education

Grants To Reduce Alcohol Abuse

Program: The purpose of this program is to provide grants to local educational agencies (LEAs) to develop and implement innovative and effective alcohol abuse prevention programs for secondary school students.

Funds: Total available funds: \$23,250,000.
Average size of awards: \$500,000.
Number of awards: 47.

Deadline: July 8, 2002.

Eligible: LEAs.

Info: Ann Weinheimer, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW--Room 3E330, Washington, DC 20202- 6123, Phone: (202) 708-5939, Email: Ann.Weinheimer@ed.gov. Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13572-filed
The complete application package is available on-line at: www.ed.gov/offices/OESE/SDFS.

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Department of Education/Office of Elementary and Secondary Education

School Leadership Program

Program: The School Leadership Program is designed to assist high-need local educational agencies (LEAs) in the development, enhancement, or expansion of innovative programs to recruit, train and mentor principals (including assistant principals) to serve in high- need schools.

Funds: Total funds available: \$10,000,000 for the first 12 months of the 36-month project period.
Average size of awards: \$450,000.
Anticipated number of awards: 22.

Deadline: July 8, 2002.

Eligible: High-need LEAs, consortia of high-need LEAs, or partnerships that consist of at least one high-need LEA and at least one nonprofit organization or institution of higher education.

Info: Education Publications Center (ED Pubs), PO Box 1398, Jessup, MD 20794-1398, Phone: 1-877-433- 7827. Fax: (301) 470-1244. If you use a telecommunications device for the deaf

(TDD) you may call (toll free): 1-877-576-7734, Link:

http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13022-filed

FR: 5/23 36159-36162

Department of Education

Mentoring Programs

Program: This program provides assistance to promote mentoring programs for children with greatest need that:

- ✕ Assist these children in receiving support and guidance from a mentor;
- ✕ Improve the academic performance of the children;
- ✕ Improve interpersonal relationships between the children and their peers, teachers, other adults, and family members;
- ✕ Reduce the dropout rate of the children; and
- ✕ Reduce the children's juvenile delinquency and involvement in gangs.

Funds: Available Funds: \$17,500,000.

Average Size of Awards: \$150,000.

Number of Awards: 115.

Deadline: July 2, 2002

Eligible: (1) Local educational agencies (LEAs); (2) nonprofit, community-based organizations (CBOs), which may include faith-based organizations; and (3) a partnership between an LEA and a CBO.

Info: Bryan Williams, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 3E259, Washington, DC 20202-6123, Phone: (202) 260-2391, Email: bryan.williams@ed.gov, Link:

http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13161-filed

Copies of the application for this competition are available from EDPubs at 1-877-4EDPubs.

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Department of Education/ Office of Elementary and Secondary Education;

Jacob K. Javits Gifted and Talented Students Education Program

Program: The purpose of the Javits program is to carry out a coordinated program of scientifically based research, demonstration projects, innovative strategies, and similar activities designed to build and enhance the ability of elementary and secondary schools nationwide to meet the special educational needs of gifted and talented students.

Absolute Priority I—

Javits Demonstration Programs: Under this absolute priority, applicants must propose projects to plan, implement, scale up, and evaluate models designed to close the achievement gap for students in underrepresented groups, including economically

disadvantaged, limited English proficient, or disabled students, performing at the highest levels.

Absolute Priority 2

Javits State Capacity-Building Grants: Under this absolute priority, State educational agencies (SEAs), in collaboration with one or more local educational agencies (LEAs), must propose projects to improve services to gifted and talented students and develop the capacity of the States and LEAs to serve these students more effectively.

Funds: Available Funds: Priority 1--\$5,100,000, Priority 2--\$3,750,000.

Number of Awards: Priority 1--10, Priority 2--12.

Size of Awards: Priority 1--\$400,000-\$600,000, Priority 2--\$200,000-\$300,000.

Average Size of Awards: Priority 1--\$500,000, Priority 2--\$250,000.

Deadline: July 8, 2002.

Eligible: State educational agencies, local educational agencies, institutions of higher education, other public agencies, and other private agencies and organizations.

Info: Emily McAdams, U.S. Department of Education, Room 5W252, 400 Maryland Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20202, Phone: (202) 260-8753, Email: emily.mcadams@ed.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13160-filed

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HEALTH

Children's Hospital Boston, the Harvard School of Public Health, and the Mayor's Office, City of Boston

Mayor's Award for Excellence in Children's Health

Program: The Mayor's Award for Excellence in Children's Health recognizes community-oriented programs that improve the health of children and adolescents from birth to age eighteen living in the city of Boston. An award is given to a program that demonstrates effective community approaches to promoting the healthy development of children. Each year the award focuses on an area of child health that has been identified as a priority for the city of Boston. This focus supports the alignment of partnerships in addressing critical child health needs. At the winning organization's discretion, the award can be used to enhance services or to strengthen operations. This year's focus is Youth Mental Health.

Funds: Award amount: \$10,000.

Deadline: June 17, 2002.

Eligible: Nonprofit organizations are invited to nominate their programs that promote the mental health and well-being of children and youth. Community-oriented organizations of all sizes are encouraged to apply. Programs must have been providing services, primarily focusing on young people, for at least three years and must operate in the city of Boston.

Info: Mayor's Award for Excellence in Children's Health, c/o Dean's Office—Room 1005 Harvard School of Public Health, 677 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA 02115, Fax: 617-277-5320

Contact ejones@hsph.harvard.edu for more information about the application process or

for application forms (their use is optional). Forms are also available at the following web address: <http://www.hsph.harvard.edu/cha/>

**Tides Foundation/Fund for Drug Policy Reform
Grants to Reduce Drug Overdose**

Program: The Fund is looking for community-based programs that work to prevent heroin and cocaine overdoses, including those that educate drug users on how to avoid overdosing, recognize when an overdose is in progress, and how to care for an overdose victim. All overdose-prevention strategies must have an evaluation component in order to receive funding. Examples of prevention strategies include efforts to make drug users feel comfortable calling 911 in an emergency without fear of arrest or prosecution; overdose-prevention education in jails, treatment programs, or other settings; naloxone prescription or distribution; media campaigns on overdose prevention; and establishment of safe-injection rooms where medical personnel are available.

Funds: Grants of \$10,000 for epidemiology research and up to \$30,000 for intervention and evaluation projects will be awarded.

Deadline: June 24, 2002.

Eligible: See RFP.

Info: Tides Foundation, Phone: 212.509.1049 ext.400, Email: newyork@tides.org, Link: www.tidesfoundation.org/drug_policy.cfm.

Department of Health and Human Services/ Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Cooperative Agreement for National Community Anti-drug Coalition Institute.

Program: The goal of the National Community Anti-drug Coalition Institute is to develop and build the capacity of community coalitions to successfully reduce substance abuse. Public Law 107-82, section (4) (c) authorizes the Institute to use approaches to achieve the following:

- ✕ Provide education, training, and technical assistance for coalition leaders and community teams, with emphasis on the development of coalitions serving economically disadvantaged areas;
- ✕ Develop and disseminate evaluation tools, mechanisms, and measures to better assess and document coalition performance measures and outcomes; and
- ✕ Bridge the gap between research and practice by translating knowledge from research into practical information.

Funds: \$2,000,000 will be available for the total costs (direct and indirect) for one award.

Deadline: July 10, 2002.

Eligible: Any national nonprofit organization that represents, provides technical assistance and training to, and has special expertise and broad, national-level experience in community anti-drug coalitions under the Drug-Free Communities Support Program

Info: Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13739-filed
Application kits may be obtained from National Clearinghouse for Alcohol and Drug Information, P.O. Box 2345, Rockville, MD 20847-2345, Phone: 1-800-729- 6686.

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**Massachusetts Department of Public Health
First Link Home Visiting Services**

Program: FIRSTLink is an early identification and referral system for newborns at risk of health and developmental problems. FIRSTLink conducts electronic screening of birth certificate information to identify newborns with conditions that may make them more vulnerable to poor health and developmental outcomes. Parental consent for participation in FIRSTLink is built into the birth registration process in participating hospitals. Families of at-risk newborns who are identified through this screening, and who have given consent, are referred to service providers in their local communities for a FIRSTLink home visit. The FIRSTLink home visit has three major components: 1) a maternal-infant health status assessment to identify issues and problems, determine appropriate referrals and linkages to services; 2) referrals to the medical, human services, and related providers identified through this assessment, and 3) provision of basic health information on maternal and infant health, safety and parenting. The purpose of the procurement is to create a network of FIRSTLink providers throughout the Commonwealth. An extensive network of community-based providers is essential for FIRSTLink to be successful in its goal of assuring that all at-risk newborns and their families are linked to necessary and appropriate health and social services and supports in their communities.

Funds: Total funds available: \$125,000

Deadline: June 30, 2002.

Eligible: See RFP.

Info: Jodi Anthony, Department of Public Health, 250 Washington Street, Boston, MA 02108, Phone: 617-624-6017, Fax: 617-624-5590, Email: jodi.anthony@state.ma.us, Link: http://www.comm-pass.com/Comm-PASS/Scripts/xdoc_view.idc?doc_id=013625&dept_code=&cp_xx=

Department of Health and Human Services/Office of the Secretary, Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation

Policy and Research Grants (State Innovation Grants)

Program: This competitive grant program will allow selected States to design and/or demonstrate new models for delivering health care, long-term care, and/or human services to low-income adults, families, and children. The goals of this initiative are twofold: to increase the effectiveness of health and human services by fostering innovative approaches to service delivery; and to share information gained through this program with other state agencies and interested parties so that they may learn about, and potentially replicate, innovative approaches. There are two "tracks" under this announcement. Track 1 applicants are expected to be those state agencies that are ready to implement proposed innovations or expand existing innovative strategies. Track 1 applicants likely will have innovative strategies developed and most or all aspects of the programs or services will have been piloted, if not fully implemented. Track 2 applicants are expected to be those state agencies that have innovative ideas, but need time for further planning to fully

develop or finalize operational plans.

Funds: Total funds available: \$2.5 million.

Deadline: July 23, 2002.

Eligible: States.

Info: Brenda Benesch, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue, SW., Room 450G, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, Washington, DC 20201, Phone: 202-260-0382, Fax: 202-690-6562, Email: Brenda.Benesch@hhs.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13034-filed

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Department of Health and Human Services Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Targeted Capacity Expansion Initiatives for Substance Abuse Prevention (SAP) and HIV Prevention (HIVP) in Minority Communities: Planning Grants

Program: Funds under this Planning Grant initiative are available to establish the infrastructure and leadership necessary to be able to provide effective Substance Abuse Prevention (SAP) and HIV Prevention (HIVP) and other related services to the minority communities they serve. Funds will also support efforts and activities that will build awareness and consensus, and develop action plans for services to help ensure access to effective SAP and HIVP interventions in their communities.

Funds: Total funds available: \$7,500,000.
Number of awards: 70-75.
Maximum grant size: \$125,000.

Deadline: July 24, 2002.

Eligible: Not for profit community-based organizations, national organizations, colleges and universities, clinics and hospitals, research institutions, and tribal government and tribal/urban Indian entities and organizations. Faith-based and community-based organizations are eligible to apply. In addition, health care delivery organizations, Historically-Black Colleges (HBCUs), Tribal Colleges and Universities (TCUs), Hispanic Serving Institutions (HSIs), Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities members (HACUs), are also eligible to apply. Note: State and local government agencies are not eligible under this GFA.

Info: National Clearinghouse for Alcohol and Drug Information (NCADI), P.O. Box 2345, Rockville, MD 20847-2345, Phone: 1-800-729-6686. Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13209-filed

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Department of Health and Human Services /Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Targeted Capacity Expansion Initiatives for Substance Abuse Prevention (SAP) and HIV Prevention (HIVP) in Minority Communities; Services Grants

Program: This program responds to the health emergency in African-American, Hispanic/Latino,

American Indian/Alaska Native, and Asian-American/ Pacific Islander communities described by the Congressional Black and Hispanic Caucuses. It includes two initiatives: Funds under this Services Grant initiative are available to support effective, integrated Substance Abuse Prevention (SAP) and HIV Prevention (HIVP) services for youth and other at-risk populations.

Funds: Total funds available: \$15.1 million.

Number of awards: 40-45.

Maximum grant size: \$350,000.

Deadline: July 24, 2002.

Eligible: Eligible entities may include: not for profit community-based organizations, national organizations, colleges and universities, clinics and hospitals, research institutions, and organizations. Faith-based and community-based organizations are eligible to apply.

Info: Link: [http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-](http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13210-filed)

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Application kits may be obtained from: National Clearinghouse for Alcohol and Drug Information (NCADI), P.O. Box 2345, Rockville, MD 20847-2345, Telephone: 1-800-729-6686.

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The Medical Foundation

The New Investigators Award

Program: These two-year awards fund new and innovative research in the areas of HIV/AIDS, cancer, cardiovascular disease, diabetes (both autoimmune and Type II), and neuroscience. Awards are valued at \$100,000 per year for the two-year grant period and are designated for newly appointed junior faculty. This program is administered by The Medical Foundation, a non profit funding and operating foundation committed to health promotion.

Funds: \$100,000 per year .

Deadline: August 14, 2002

Eligible: The following criteria will also be taken into account in the review of grant applications:

- ✕ Research is new and innovative.
- ✕ Proposal is clearly presented and appropriately documented.
- ✕ Objectives are well thought out and realistic; hypothesis and precedents are sound.
- ✕ Project personnel are adequately qualified to carry out the proposed research.
- ✕ Project is financially viable.
- ✕ Project falls within current moral and ethical standards for the conduct of medical research.
- ✕ Project has a clear and stated relevance to AIDS, cancer, cardiovascular disease, diabetes, or neuroscience.
- ✕ Project is likely to contribute significantly to advances in medical research and attract major federal or private funding.

Info: The Medical Foundation, 95 Berkeley Street, Suite 201, Boston, Massachusetts 02116, Phone: (617) 451-0049, x702, Fax: (617) 423-4619, Email: mail@tmfnet.org,

Link: <http://www.tmfnet.org/guidelines.html>

Department of Health and Human Services/ Health Resources and Services Administration
Cooperative Agreements for Health Workforce Research

Program: The purpose of these Cooperative Agreements is to conduct research that will contribute to:
(1) The development of information describing the current status of the health professions workforce and (2) the analysis of fundamental health workforce related issues. These Cooperative Agreements will support a wide range of projects designed to address health workforce issues at the National, Regional and State levels.

Understanding International Medical Graduates (IMGs) 93.900

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to collect data and information that will describe IMGs-who they are, where they came from, their visa status, role in addressing needs for healthcare providers in HPSA's and how long they stay in underserved areas. It will also study the impact of September 11 on the number of J-1 waivers.

Role and Limitations of Telemedicine in Improving "Access" 93.900

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to conduct a comprehensive analysis of telemedicine in rural and other underserved areas. It will also identify the issues and barriers in the implementation of telemedicine and evaluate and research successful models to identify best practices.

Supply, Demand, Use of Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) 93.900

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to provide a better understanding of the supply, demand, distribution and utilization of LPNs (including their ability to substitute for registered nurses) and to develop recommendations for the education and utilization of LPNs.

Develop National Database on Nurse Practitioners 93.900

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to design and promote the development of a national nurse practitioner database that documents the number and characteristics of nurse practitioners, including demographic, job activity, and work-setting data. The database should be designed to provide the basic research information needed to analyze the nurse practitioner workforce.

Adequacy of Current and Future Dental Workforce 93.900

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to: (1) assess the adequacy of the current dental workforce supply and expected demand and (2) project the demand of dental workforce.

Assessing Variations in Retirement Plans of Physicians by Gender, Race, Specialty, Age and Other Factors 93.900

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to assess variations in the retirement plans of physicians by: gender, race specialty, age, practice location (urban, suburban and rural) and by location of medical school (International Medical Graduate versus U.S. Medical Graduate).

Funds: The following are the estimated award amounts in each area:
Understanding International Medical Graduates (IMGs) 93.900- \$250,000
Role and Limitations of Telemedicine in Improving ``Access'' 93.900-\$200,000
Supply, Demand, Use of Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) 93.900 - \$275,000
Develop National Database on Nurse Practitioners 93.900- \$125,000
Adequacy of Current and Future Dental Workforce 93.900- \$100,000
Assessing Variations in Retirement Plans of Physicians by Gender, Race, Specialty, Age and Other Factors 93.900- \$50,000

Deadline: June 19, 2002.

Eligible: State or local governments, health professions schools, schools of nursing, academic health centers, community-based health facilities, and other appropriate public or private non-profit entities, including faith-based organizations.

Info: Grants Application Center, 901 Russell Avenue, Suite 450, Gaithersburg, Maryland, 20879, Phone: 1-877-477-2123, Fax: 1-877-477- 2345, Email: hrsaga@hrs.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-12928-filed

FR: 5/23 36198-36200

The Center for Health Care Strategies (CHCS)

State Action for Oral Health Access Grants

Program: The Center for Health Care Strategies (CHCS) is accepting applications for up to seven State Action for Oral Health Access grants of up to \$1 million each to states for innovative programs to improve access to oral health services. With funding from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, the program will support state-based model demonstration projects, including local system pilots, to test innovative and comprehensive approaches to expanding access to low-income, minority, and disabled populations served through Medicaid, SCHIP, and the public health system.

Funds: Maximum grant size: Up to 1 million.

Deadline: June 21, 2002

Eligible: Applicants must be the health, social services, or education agency within a state that is best positioned to execute the demonstration project, and is designated as such by the governor. The agency must show collaboration among key constituencies in the oral health delivery system and have demonstrated experience in improving access to oral health services for underserved populations.

Info: Allicia Turner, Administrative Assistant, State Action for Oral Health Access
Center for Health Care Strategies 1009 Lenox Drive, Suite 204 Lawrenceville, New Jersey 08648, Link: <http://www.chcs.org/grantinfo/applyoralhealth.html>

Department of Health and Human Services/ Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Ecstasy, Other Club Drugs, Methamphetamine and Inhalant Prevention Intervention Cooperative Agreements

Program: Congress has authorized the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's Center for Substance Abuse Prevention to announce the availability of Fiscal Year 2002

Funds: funds for cooperative agreements for developing, implementing and pilot testing Ecstasy, and other Club Drugs and Methamphetamine and Inhalant Prevention Interventions.
Total funds available: \$4 million.
Anticipated number of awards: 12.
Maximum grant award: \$350,000.

Deadline: July 10

Eligible: Units of State and local governments and domestic private non-profit organizations.

Info: Steve Hudak, Division of Grants Management, OPS/SAMHSA, Rockwall II, 6th floor, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, Phone: (301) 443-9666, E-Mail: shudak@samhsa.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13026-filed

FR: 5/23 36206-36208

Department of Health and Human Services/ Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

State Mental Health Data Infrastructure Grants.

Program: The purpose of this program is to develop and sustain State and community data infrastructure that helps promote comprehensive, community-based systems of care for all children and adults with mental illness or at risk of developing mental illness. Information systems are important tools to improve accountability, increase access, target resources, and continuously improve quality of care.

Funds: Total funds available: \$550,000.
Number of awards: 7.
The average annual award will be \$100,000 for each State Mental Health Authority and \$50,000 for each U.S. Territory (direct and indirect).

Deadline: July 24, 2002.

Eligible: State Mental Health Authorities.

Info: Nainan Thomas, Ph.D., Public Health Adviser, Room 15C-26, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, Phone: (301) 443-4257, E-mail: nthomas@samhsa.gov, Link: <http://www.tgci.com/fedrgtxt/02-12935.txt>

FR: 5/23 36208-36209

Department of Health and Human Services/ Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Cooperative Agreement to Establish a Suicide Prevention Technical Resource Center.

Program: The National Suicide Prevention Technical Assistance Resource Center will facilitate outreach to stakeholders (survivors, clinicians, advocates, scientists, and Federal, State, local, and tribal organizations) through provision of information and technical assistance in suicide prevention program planning and in implementation and identification of best practices.

Funds: \$2,500,000 will be available per year for one award (including direct and indirect costs).

Deadline: July 24, 2002.

Eligible: Public organizations, such as units of State, county, or local governments by domestic

private nonprofit organizations such as community-based organizations, faith-based organizations, universities, colleges, and hospitals. These may include consortiums/partnerships of organizations brought together for the purposes of this GFA; however, only one organization may apply and be legally and fiscally responsible for the grant.

Info: Robert DeMartino, M.D., Associate Director for Program in Trauma and Terrorism, Division of Program Development, Special Populations and Projects, Room 17C-26, Center for Mental Health Services, SAMHSA, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, Phone: (301) 443-2940, Email: Rdemarti@samhsa.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-12936-filed

FR: 5/23 36209-36211

IMMIGRANTS & REFUGEES

Department of Health and Human Services/Administration for Children and Families Refugee Microenterprise Development Program

Program: The purpose of microenterprise development is to assist refugees in becoming economically self-sufficient and to help refugee communities in developing employment and capital resources. Applicants may request funds for microenterprise development projects to include business technical assistance or short-term training, credit in the form of microloans, the administrative costs of managing the project, and, if applicable, a revolving microloan fund. Projects should be designed in a manner that is culturally and linguistically appropriate for the refugee population.

Funds: 2.5 million for Microenterprise Development projects for about 12 to 20 awards in amounts ranging from \$100,000-\$200,000.

Deadline: July 8, 2002.

Eligible: Eligible applicants are public and private non-profit organizations and agencies of State governments that are responsible for the refugee programs. Faith-based organizations are eligible to apply for these grants.

Info: Henley Portner, Division of Community Resettlement, Office of Refugee Resettlement, Administration for Children and Families, Phone: (202) 401-5363, Email: HPortner@ACF.DHHS.GOV, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13035-filed

FR: 5/24 36632-36637

LITERACY

Starbucks Foundation Literacy Grants

Program: The Foundation makes grants in the following three areas:

Family Literacy – children aged 0-5 and their families

{PRIVATE "TYPE=PICT;ALT="}{PRIVATE "TYPE=PICT;ALT="}Promoting the critical pre-reading and pre-school experiences with language and literature that will enable a child to succeed in school. {PRIVATE "TYPE=PICT;ALT="}{PRIVATE "TYPE=PICT;ALT="}Involving parents and children together in literacy learning; supporting parents as their children's first teachers.

Basic Literacy – children K-6

{PRIVATE "TYPE=PICT;ALT="}{PRIVATE "TYPE=PICT;ALT="}Supporting school (K-6) or community based programs that complement or enhance literacy curriculum and that encourage individuals to make one-on-one commitments to tutoring or mentoring needy children around reading and writing.

Language of Hope – youth aged 12-21

{PRIVATE "TYPE=PICT;ALT="}{PRIVATE "TYPE=PICT;ALT="}Benefiting writing programs for older youth (12-21) that stimulate personal development and encourage social commitment, especially programs that include a spoken word performance and/or publishing component to promote

Funds: Maximum grant size: \$10,000.

Deadline: Applications are being accepted from June 1, 2002 to October 1, 2002.

Eligible: Nonprofits

Info: Phone: (206) 318-7022, Link: <http://www.starbucks.com/aboutus/grantinfo.asp>

MISCELLANEOUS

Department of Health and Human Services/ Food and Drug Administration Innovative Food Safety Projects

Program: The specific objective of this program will be to complement, develop, or improve State and local food safety programs that would have applicability to food safety programs nationwide. Examples of food safety projects are retail food (food manufacturers, processors, wholesalers, and warehouses); egg safety program; milk safety program; shellfish safety program. Applications that address one of the food safety projects and fulfill the following specific project objectives will be considered for funding.

Funds: Total funds available: \$350,000.
Maximum grant award: \$50,000.
Number of grant awards: 7.

Deadline: July 22, 2002.

Eligible: State, local, and tribal government food regulatory agencies.

Info: Cynthia M. Polit, Grants Management Office (HFA-520), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, rm. 2129, Rockville, MD 20857, Phone: 301-827-7180, Email: cpolit@oc.fda.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-12665-filed

FR: 5/21 35823-35826

National League of Cities James C. Howland Awards for Urban Enrichment

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- Program:** The National League of Cities and CH2M Hill are proud to sponsor the annual James C. Howland Awards for Urban Enrichment. The competition highlights communities that have, through effective policies and thoughtful project planning, demonstrated and encouraged the preservation and/or enrichment of high environmental quality of life in cities and towns. Information on those programs previously recognized is shared with NLC member cities to encourage replication. CH2M Hill is one of the largest engineering consulting firms in the country and is committed to the integration of technology with the environment.
- Funds:** **X** Each winner will receive \$2,000 to be donated to a not-for-profit organization designated by the leadership of the municipality.
 X Each honorable mention will receive \$500 to be donated to a not-for-profit organization designated by the leadership of the municipality.
- Deadline:** June 28, 2002.
- Eligible:** **X** Jurisdictions may submit no more than two projects for award consideration in one year.
 X The jurisdiction on the application must be a member city or town of NLC and/or one of the state municipal leagues.
- Info:** Ann Kelly, 2002 Howland Award, National League of Cities, 1301 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Suite #550, Washington, D.C. 20004, Phone: 202.626.3139, Email: Kelly@nlc.org
Link: http://www.nlc.org/nlc_org/site/programs/awards/howland_award.cfm

Department of Health and Human Services/ Administration for Children and Families
ORR Announcement for Services To Victims of a Severe Form of Trafficking
Program Announcement No. CFDA 93.598

Program: Funding is available in the following three program areas:

Category 1--Local/Community Outreach and/or Services for Victims of a Severe Form of Trafficking Purpose and Objectives

The purpose of Category 1, Local/Community Outreach and/or Services for Victims of a Severe Form of Trafficking, is multifaceted. It combines the need to increase local/community awareness about the burgeoning problem of human trafficking with the need to provide resources that will address the needs of individuals determined to be victims of a severe form of trafficking. Category 1 applications may choose to concentrate exclusively on one of these two areas, or focus more comprehensively on a combination of activities that incorporates both.

Category 2--Technical Assistance and Training Purpose and Objectives

This program is to provide technical and issue-specific assistance and training to organized groups, organizations, and individuals regarding the background and impact of the TVPA, with specific emphasis on the provision of benefits as it relates to the needs of trafficking victims. The program is also aimed at providing and disseminating research and resources for benefit-issuing agencies, law enforcement

Category 3--Information Discovery for National Outreach/Educational Campaign

The purposes of this project are: (A) To determine the extent of community awareness regarding the problem of human trafficking among both the general United States population and the organizations that serve victims; and (B) to better understand the successful approaches that might encourage victims to come forward for identification and assistance. The resultant information will be used as the basis for an array of culturally appropriate Public Service Announcements (PSAs) designed to increase the number of victims identified and encourage the development and implementation of additional programs intended to protect and care for victims of severe forms of trafficking.

- Funds:** Total funds available: \$3.9 million
Category 1
Total funds available: \$2,500,000.
Range of grant awards: \$50,000 to \$250,000.
Category 2
Range of grant award: \$300,000-\$500,000
Number of awards: 1.
Category 3
Maximum grant award: \$900,000.
Number of awards: 1.
- Deadline:** July 31, 2002.
- Eligible:** In Categories 1 and 2 public and private nonprofit organizations, including faith-based organizations, are eligible to apply for these grants.
For Category 3 eligibility, see RFP.
- Info:** Jay Womack, Phone: (202) 401-5525, Email: jwomack@acf.hhs.gov or Neil Kromash, Phone: (202) 401- 5702, Email: nkromash@acf.hhs.gov. Link : http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13089-filed
- FR:** 5/24 36622-36632

Department of Health and Human Services/ Administration for Children and Families

Child Support Enforcement Demonstration and Special Projects-- Special Improvement Projects

- Program:** The purpose of the program is to fund a number of special improvement projects which further the national child support mission to ensure that all children receive financial and medical support from both parents and which advance the provisions of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (PRWORA). PRWORA strengthens the ability of the nation's child support program to collect support on behalf of children and families. The law also enables the testing of child support innovations to improve program performance. For FY 2002, we are looking for projects which collaborate with new partners, especially community and faith-based organizations, which will help the child support community better address the needs of harder-to-serve populations, such as low-income non-custodial fathers and culturally diverse populations, so we can produce greater impacts on child support outcomes (e.g., increasing the establishment of child support orders and child support collections.) We are looking for grants in the following

priority areas:

- ✕ Helping low-income fathers meet their child support and family responsibilities;
- ✕ Encouraging new ways to approach unwed parents to emphasize the importance of healthy marriage to a child's well-being;
- ✕ Increasing the number of child support cases with medical coverage for children;
- ✕ Expanding use of automation tools and best practices;
- ✕ Improving child support services for ethnic and culturally diverse populations, Tribes and the international community;
- ✕ Furthering the child support mission to ensure all children receive financial and medical support from both parents.

Funds: 4 million

Deadline: August 13, 2002.

Eligible: States and nonprofit organizations (including faith-based organizations).

Info: Jean Robinson, Program Analyst, 370 L Enfant Promenade, SW., 4th Floor, East Wing, Washington, DC 20447, Phone: (202) 401-5330, Fax: (202) 205-4315; Email: jrobinson@acf.hhs.gov, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-13409-filed

FR: 5/30 37811-37818

The Population Institute

Media Awards

Program: The Population Institute Media Awards are devoted to drawing attention to worldwide population issues. The awards honor those who have contributed to creating awareness of population problems through their journalistic endeavors in a meritorious manner. The Population Institute encourages editors, news directors and journalists to acquire a more in-depth knowledge of population issues.

Deadline: September 1, 2002

- Eligible:**
- ✕ Entries may be made by any individual or organization from material appearing in the print and electronic media.
 - ✕ Entries must be submitted in writing to the Population Institute and accompanied by justification for entry, English translation and two passport size photos of the nominee.
 - ✕ Eligible works must have been published or aired between September 30, 2001 and September 1, 2002.
 - ✕ Previous winners are eligible for entry.

Info: Population Institute, 107 Second Street, NE Washington, DC 20002, Phone: 202-544-3300, Fax: 202-544-0068, Email: web@populationinstitute.org, Link: http://www.populationinstitute.org/teampublish/71_362_1097.cfm

NONPROFITS & SOCIAL CHANGE

The Partnership on Nonprofit Ventures

National Business Plan Competition for Nonprofit Organizations

- Program:** The Yale School of Management, The Goldman Sachs Foundation, and The Pew Charitable Trusts have joined together to form The Partnership on Nonprofit Ventures. As a signature event, The Partnership runs the National Business Plan Competition for Nonprofit Organizations, open to nonprofits seeking to start or expand successful profit-making ventures with substantial cash prizes and technical assistance offered to the winners.
- Funds:** Four grand-prize winners, each of whom will receive \$100,000.
Four semi-finalists, each of who will receive \$25,000.
In addition to cash awards, the winners will receive hundreds of hours of technical business planning consultations to assist their organizations to move their ventures forward.
- Deadline:** August 30, 2002.
- Eligible:** Nonprofits.
- Info:** Yale School of Management - The Goldman Sachs Foundation, Partnership on Nonprofit Ventures, 560 Sylvan Avenue, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632, Attention: Entrant Submission (name of your nonprofit organization), Phone: 201-894-8950, Fax: 201-894-8610 . Link <http://www.ventures.yale.edu/aboutcompetition.asp>

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Department of Commerce/ Economic Development Administration

National Technical Assistance, Training, Research, and Evaluation

- Program:** EDA is soliciting proposals to determine the role institutions of higher education can play in local and regional economic development and to conduct a demonstration project of faith-based and community organizations in economic development that will help our partners across the nation (states, regions and communities) create wealth and minimize poverty by promoting a favorable business environment to attract private capital investment and high skill, high wage jobs through world-class capacity building, infrastructure, business assistance, research grants and strategic initiatives. EDA will fulfill this mission by promoting progressive domestic business policies and growth, and by assisting states, communities, and individuals to achieve their highest economic potential.
- Funds:** \$1,601,000
- Deadline:** June 19, 2002
- Eligible:** Institutions of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; A public or private nonprofit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a state; For-profit organizations and private individuals; An Economic Development District; A state; A city, or other political subdivision of a state or a consortium of political subdivisions.
- Info:** John J. McNamee (202) 482-4085; e- mail: jmcnamee@eda.doc.gov , Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-12607-filed
- Other:** Prospective applicants are advised that EDA will conduct a pre- proposal conference on June 5, 2002, at 2:00 p.m. EDT in the Department of Commerce, Herbert C. Hoover

Building, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230, Room 1414, at which time questions regarding these projects can be answered. Potential applicants are encouraged to provide written questions by June 3, 2002.

Prospective applicants unable to attend this pre-proposal conference may participate by teleconference. Teleconference information may be obtained by calling (202) 482-4085 between 8:30-4:30 EDT on June 4, 2002.

FR: 5/20 35701-35704

**Department of Labor/Occupational Safety and Health Administration
Susan Harwood Training Grant Program**

Program: The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) awards funds to nonprofit organizations to conduct safety and health training and education in the workplace. This notice announces grant availability for two different categories of Susan Harwood Training Grants. The Targeted Topic grants will support training in occupational safety and health on topics selected by OSHA. The Institutional Competency Building grants will assist organizations in expanding their occupational safety and health training, education and related assistance capacity. The two categories of grants are described below:

1. Targeted Topic Grants

Two topics have been selected for the Targeted Topic grants. The training topics are:

Ergonomic hazards
Homeland security.

2. Institutional Competency Building Grants

Grants are available to nonprofit organizations to assist them in expanding their safety and health training, education and related assistance capacity. To be eligible to apply for this grant category, organizations must serve clients nationally or in multi-state areas, and provide safety and health training, education and services to their clients.

Funds: *Targeted Topic Grants*

Total funds available: \$1.2 million.

Average award: \$150,000.

Institutional Competency Building Grants

Total funds available: \$5.4 million.

Average award: \$250,000.

Deadline: June 21, 2002.

Eligible: Any nonprofit organization is eligible to apply. Private nonprofit community-based organizations, which may be faith-based, are also eligible to apply. State or local government supported institutions of higher education are eligible to apply.

Info: Ernest Thompson, Chief, Division of Training and Educational Programs, or Cynthia Bencheck, Program Analyst, OSHA Office of Training and Education, 1555 Times Drive, Des Plaines, Illinois 60018, telephone (847) 297-4810. This is not a toll-free number. E-mail: cindy.bencheck@osha.gov.

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YOUTH

W. T. Grant Foundation

Grants for Youth Research

- Program:** Funds go to support post-doctoral, tenure-track scholars in their study on issues important to young people. Priority areas include youth development and the adult-teen interactions. Projects should focus on social, institutional community and cultural context.
- Funds:** \$300,000 will go to 4-6 scholars over a period of 5 years
- Deadline:** July 1, 2002.
- Eligible:** Grants go to institutions of higher education, which administer them on behalf of the researcher.
- Info:** 570 Lexington Ave., 18th Floor, New York, NY 10022-6837 Phone: (212) 752-0071, Fax: (212) 752-1398, E-mail: info@wtgrantfdn.org, Link: <http://www.wtgrantfoundation.org>

Department of Health and Human Services/ Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Cooperative Agreement for Collaborative Community Actions to Prevent Youth Violence and Promote Youth Development.

- Program:** Youth Violence Prevention grants are intended for use in communities and schools to develop and enhance youth violence prevention activities.
- Funds:** \$2.8 million in funding will be available to fund 12 to 16 projects. Of these, some six to eight awards will be made to address youth violence in vulnerable populations, with a maximum amount of \$150,000 per year in total costs, for a period of two years. Another six to eight awards will also be made for School-Based Mental Health, for a maximum of \$200,000 per year in total costs, for a period of up to two years.
- Deadline:** June 19, 2002.
- Eligible:** Community-based organizations, such as community-based advocacy, health, mental health, social service, faith-based service, parent and teacher associations, consumer and family organizations, and service organizations serving ethnic, cultural, or social minority groups may apply, along with existing community collaborations, coalitions and partnerships focusing on youth violence prevention or services to a vulnerable youth population. School-based Mental Health Project applicants are restricted to public and private schools and school systems
- Info:** Malcolm Gordon, Ph.D., Special Programs Development Branch, Center for Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Parklawn Building, Room 17C-05, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, Phone: (301) 443-7713, E-mail: mgordon@samhsa.gov.
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- FR:** 5/3 22443-22445

RECENT AWARDS

Annenberg Foundation

Program: X To develop educational outreach materials related to its series *World in the Balance*: \$100,000 to WGBH Educational Foundation (Boston, MA).
X To increase the number of sites and to expand training activities: \$200,000 to Jumpstart for Young Children (Boston, MA)
X To extend its program of literacy skills for young children to additional pediatric clinics in Philadelphia and metropolitan Los Angeles: \$300,000 to Reach Out and Read (Somerville, MA).

Info: St. Davids Center, Suite A-200 150 Radnor-Chester Road, St. Davids, Pennsylvania 19087, Phone: (610) 341-9066, Email: info@whannenberg.org, Link: <http://www.whannenberg.org>

Ford Foundation

Program: X For a history of Sino-U.S. relations up to 1980: \$82,700 to Harvard U. (Cambridge, MA).
X For a seminar of Middle East scholars examining change and renewal in Muslim societies from a comparative perspective: \$30,000 to Boston U. (Boston, MA)

Info: 320 East 43rd Street, New York, New York 10017, Phone: (212) 573-5000, Link: <http://www.fordfound.org>

John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

Program: X For the Harvard-Sussex Program on Chemical and Biological Weapons and Arms Limitation, which provides information, training, and research facilities to scientists, policy analysts, and policymakers and includes the world's largest public database dedicated to aspects of biological and chemical weapons: \$325,000 each to Harvard U. (Cambridge, MA)

Info: 140 South Dearborn Street, Suite 1100, Chicago, Illinois 60603, Phone: (312) 726-8000, Link: <http://www.macfound.org>

Recording Academy

Program: X To assess the health hazards posed by microbial contamination of wind instruments: \$19,910 to Tufts U. (Somerville, MA)

Info: 3402 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, California 90405, Link: <http://www.grammy.com>

Rockefeller Brothers Fund

Program: X For the Charles E. Culpeper Scholarships in Medical Science: \$324,000 each over three years to Harvard U. to support the work of David Matthew Althshuler (Cambridge, MA)

Info: 437 Madison Avenue, 37th Floor, New York, New York 10022, Phone: (212) 812-4200, Fax: (212) 812-4299, Email: rock@rbf.org, Link: <http://www.rbf.org>

Yawkey Foundation II

Program: X To benefit five of its community-based social-services programs in the Boston area: \$500,000 to Catholic Charities Archdiocese of Boston (Boston, MA)

Info: c/o Boston Trust Management Corporation 990 Washington Street
Dedham, Massachusetts 02026-6716 , Phone: (781) 329-7470

Key Span

Program: X For efficiency improvement to windows, doors and roofing, and installation of efficient natural gas heat. \$100,000 to Grove Hall Retailer Center, Dorchester, MA
X For improvement to pipes and duct insulation and HVAC rezoning system, \$100,000 to Salvation Army, Boston, MA

Info: KeySpan Energy Delivery Company, 201 Rivermoor Street, West Roxbury, MA 2132.
Attention: Matt Dugan, Fax: 322-3333